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FRESH FACES FOR A FRESH START

Newly elected Glenorchy City Council (GCC) Aldermen will be welcomed at a reception at 2pm tomorrow (Friday) at Moonah Arts Centre at 2pm.

The Tasmanian Electoral Commission Returning Officer Graeme Ingram will declare the poll at this event. This will signify Mayor Kristie Johnston, Deputy Mayor Matt Stevenson and the remaining eight Aldermen officially commencing duties with Glenorchy City Council.

Mayor Kristie Johnston said she is thrilled to open a new chapter of history in Glenorchy.

“This is time for fresh faces to make a fresh start in the City of Glenorchy and I look forward to working closely with my fellow Aldermen and the opportunity to provide positive leadership to Glenorchy,” she said.

“This fresh start is the ideal time to put recent troubles behind us and focus on kicking goals for our community.

GCC General Manager Tony McMullen said he will offer his full support to the incoming council and was looking forward to establishing positive working relationships.

“I congratulate the incoming Mayor, Deputy Mayor and Aldermen on their election. The management and staff of Glenorchy City Council will work closely with the newly elected Council to continue to deliver important local government services to our community.

“I would also like to thank Commissioner Sue Smith on her time with us and her ability to see us through to this ‘changing of the guard’”.

The new Glenorchy City Council is made up of:

Mayor Kristie Johnston

Deputy Mayor Matt Stevenson

Aldermen Jan Dunsby, Melissa Carlton, Gaye Richardson, Peter Bull, Simon Fraser, Bec Thomas, Kelly Sims and Steven King.

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